

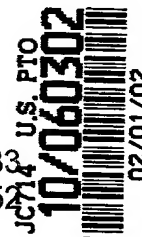


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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: FURAN POLYMER IMPREGNATED WOOD
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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 12 pages, including 2 independent claims and 22 claims total.
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
3. Preliminary Amendment
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Basic Application Filing Fee					\$740	\$ \$740.00
	Number of Claims		Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	22	-	20	2	x \$18	36.00
Independent Claims	2	-	3		x \$84	
X Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim(s)					+\$280	280.00
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\$316.00 additional claims fee; and

Applicant claims the right to priority based on Norwegian Application No. 2001 0558, filed February 1, 2001 and claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/272,049 filed March 1, 2001.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or §1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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